



**Tennessee Air National Guard  
DUAL STATUS  
TECHNICIAN VACANCY  
Announcement Number  
07-196**



Office of the Adjutant General of Tennessee  
Human Resources Office (HRO)-Staffing  
Houston Barracks, 3041 Sidco Drive  
Nashville, TN 37204-1502

**OPENING DATE: 9 Jul 07  
CLOSING DATE: 30 Jul 07  
CLEARANCE: Top Secret (SCI)**

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**LOCATION**

119<sup>th</sup> Command and Control Squadron

**CITY**

Knoxville

**STATE**

TN

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**POSITION TITLE**

Space Operations Specialist (Milstar)

**PAY PLAN**

GS

**SERIES**

0391

**GRADE**

11

**PD NUMBER(S)**

80782

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**APPOINTMENT TYPE**

Enlisted

**SALARY RANGE (\$)**

GS-11: \$52,912 - \$68,787

**MILITARY COMPATIBILITY**

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**“May be required to work weekends.”**

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**AREAS OF CONSIDERATION**

**FIRST:** Permanently employed Air Technicians in Knoxville, TN.

**SECOND:** Permanently employed Air Technicians Statewide.

**THIRD:** Qualified members of the Tennessee Air National Guard.

**FOURTH:** Applicants eligible for membership in the TN Air National Guard.

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**PERMANENT CHANGE OF STATION: AUTHORIZED**

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**INTRODUCTION, DUTIES, AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

**INTRODUCTION:** This position is located in the 119<sup>th</sup> Command and Control Squadron, performing primary duties within the Systems Operations Section. This position is responsible for the operation of Command and Control (C2) voice and data communications systems linking United States Strategic Command (USSTRATCOM) Global Operations Center (GOC) with President, Secretary of Defense, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff (CJCS), National Military Command System nodes, and nuclear forces worldwide. Also responsible for the completion of day to day system updates, testing, and connection validation for continuity of mission tasking.

**DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO:** (1) Operates and maintains the AN/FRC-181 Extremely High Frequency Milstar satellite terminal, AN/WSC-3 ultra high frequency (UHF) radios and antennas, multipliers, fiber optic modems, Global Positioning timing subsystems, commercial off-the-shelf systems and various wideband equipment. (2) Responsible for the operation of command and control (C2) voice and data communications systems such as EHF data; EHF/SHF data; and EHF/UHF DAMA; AFSATCOM; and Survivable Emergency Conferencing Network (SECN) networks linking the Tennessee Air National Guard (TNANG) with the President, Secretary of Defense, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (CJCS), National Military Command System nodes, and nuclear forces worldwide. (3) Transmits Emergency Action Messages (EAMs) over satellite systems to execute USSTRATCOM missiles, aircraft, and submarines supporting Operational Plan 8044. (4) Develops policy to standardize operating procedures and conducts initial/recurring evaluations. (5) Maintains proficiency and knowledge as a Milstar System Operations Specialist. (6) The mission of this unit includes the requirement for 24/7 operational capability. (7) Performs other duties as assigned.

**REQUIRED SPECIALIZED EXPERIENCE**

GS-11: Must have 36 months experience in developing and recommending policy; preparing written communications and oral presentations to senior managers within a small organization; and supervisory, staff, or technical work including study, analysis or evaluation leading to the development or improvement of managerial or administrative policies, practices and procedures.

Meeting the months of experience requirement will not by itself be accepted as proof of qualification. Quality, type, and scope of experience or education must be demonstrated to show that applicant is fully qualified to perform duties at the grade level announced.

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION: KSA's (Knowledge, Skill, & Ability)** Address the following factors in detail, giving dates of experience and in what position the experience was gained. This information is used only for ranking and rating and is additional information and not used for qualifying applicants. Resume must reflect applicable experience.

1. Knowledge of the principles and standard practices of management.
2. Ability to formulate and execute long range plans and programs affecting Command and Control.
3. Ability to perform a variety of administrative duties relative to the Command and Control program.
4. Ability to lead work through subordinate employees.

#### **SUBSTITUTION OF EDUCATION FOR EXPERIENCE**

Completion of courses such as the Officer Advanced course, Squadron Officer School, Command and Staff College, Air and Army War College, National Security Management Course and others of comparable level will be credited at the rate of one month of education for two months of specialized experience.

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#### **REQUIRED CERTIFICATION**

Transcripts and completion certificates for all educational substitutions.

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#### **SELECTIVE SERVICE STATEMENT**

Males born after 31 December 1959 must be registered with the selective service system to be employed by the federal government.

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#### **DEFINITION OF "DUAL STATUS" VERSUS "NON-DUAL STATUS"**

If marked "dual status", this position is in the excepted federal civil service under the authority of 32 U.S.C. 709 and is open to members of the Tennessee National Guard and persons who are eligible to become members of the Tennessee National Guard. This type of position is sometimes referred to as "excepted" and "military technician." Wear of the uniform after employment is mandatory.

If marked "non-dual status", this position is open to any person who meets the requirements for membership in the federal civil service. This type of position is also referred to as "competitive."

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#### **HOW TO APPLY**

Persons meeting the requirements or qualifications for this position must submit a complete application packet to the address listed in the "MAIL TO:" section of this announcement. The application packet must arrive in HRO no later than the close of business on the closing date indicated on this announcement.

**Application packet may also be emailed to [FulltimeEmployment@tn.ngb.army.mil](mailto:FulltimeEmployment@tn.ngb.army.mil)**

#### **THE APPLICATION PACKET**

Complete, assemble, sign and send the following:

- (1) A resume with the information requested on TNGG HRO Pamphlet 58, or an SF 171, or an OF 612, to include relevant military experience.
  - (2) Military Qualification Information (ML 0183), used to verify military status, not for qualification determination.
  - (3) **All applicants must complete form TN ASE 02 or on separate sheet of paper**, address the items listed in the SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION sub-section in order to compete for rating and ranking of qualified applicants.
  - (4) Applicable Certificates requested in the Certification Requirements section of this vacancy announcement
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#### **APPLICATION EVALUATION**

Qualifications will be based solely upon information supplied in the application packet. (Described in depth, in the applicant's own words, and signed to verify accuracy.) Experience will be evaluated based upon relevance to the position for which the application is made. [Including job titles, starting and ending dates (DD/MM/YY), hours per week, duties, accomplishments, rewards, awards, employers' name and address, supervisor's name, and phone number, and if we may contact him/her]. If requesting qualifying credit for military experience, list experience, in detail, in narrative form on the resume.

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#### **POINTS OF CONTACT:**

LtCol Ken Jones:	(615) 313-3031 or DSN 683-3031
1SG Jamie Clark:	(615) 313-3037 or DSN 683-3037
SMSgt Mary MacDonald	(615) 313-0647 or DSN 683-0647

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#### **EQUAL OPPORTUNITY STATEMENT**

The Tennessee National Guard is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer. Soldiers and Airmen will not be assessed, classified, trained, promoted, or otherwise managed on the basis of race, color, religion, age, gender, national origin, reprisal, or non-disqualifying handicap. Discrimination due to age or disability are prohibited where not a factor of employment due to the military nature of the position. 29 CFR PART 1614. Discrimination due to gender is prohibited except as the direct combat probability coding policy applies to women.